

FORM FOR CALCULATING THE MASS TRANSFER COEFFICIENT FOR A QUIESCENT SURFACE IMPOUNDMENT

FACILITY NAME for site specific biorate determination

COMPOUND for site specific biorate determination

Methanol

Input values

Enter the following:

F - Impoundment fetch (m)

D - Impoundment depth (m)

U10 - Windspeed 10 m above liquid surface (m/s)

Dw - Diffusivity of compound in water (cm²/s)

Dether - Diffusivity of ether in water (cm²/s)

μG - Viscosity of air, (g/cm-s)

G - Density of air, (g/cm³)

Da - Diffusivity of compound in air, (cm²/s)

A - Area of impoundment, (m²)

H - Henry's law constant, (atm-m³/g mol)

R - Universal gas constant, (atm-m³/g mol. K)

μL - Viscosity of water, (g/cm-s)

L - Density of liquid, (g/cm³)

T - Impoundment temperature, (C)

Calculate the following:

Calculate F/D:

Calculate the liquid phase mass transfer coefficient, k_L, using one of the following procedures, (m/s)

Where F/D < 14 and U10 > 3.25 m/s, use the following procedure from MacKay and Yeun:

Calculate the Schmidt number on the liquid side, Sc_L, as follows:

$$Sc_L = \mu_L / LD_w$$

Calculate the friction velocity, U*, as follows, (m/s):

$$U^* = 0.01 \times U_{10}(6.1 + 0.63 U_{10})^{0.5}$$

Where U* is > 0.3, calculate k_L as follows:

$$k_L = (1.0 \times 10^{-6}) + (34.1 \times 10^{-4})U^* \times Sc_L^{-0.5}$$

Where U* is < 0.3, calculate k_L as follows:

$$k_L = (1.0 \times 10^{-6}) + (144 \times 10^{-4})(U^*)^{2.2} \times Sc_L^{-0.5}$$

For all other values of F/D and U10, calculate k_L using the following procedure from Springer:

Where U10 is < 3.25 m/s, calculate k_L as follows: